the acting and temporary vacancies in such appointments (as distinguished from permanent vacancies) by appointments made by departmental heads themselves; and Government have accordingly excluded the acting and temporary appointments in the Medical Department from the purview of the Public Service Recruitment Rules.

Standardisation Rules.

311. **MR. S. NARAYANA PILLAI :** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the classes of officers from whom representations have been received praying for exemption from the operation of the Standardisation rules in regard to pay and for sanction of pre-standardisation scales, together with the grounds urged in support of such claims and the result of such representations ?

MR. R. RAMA VARIER : Government consider that the time and labour involved in the collection of the statistics of the past six years are out of all proportion to its possible utility.

Pulaya community and the Public Service.

312 ***MR. T. T KESAVAN SASTRI :** Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of candidates from the Pulaya community whose names have been registered till now in the Lower Division of the Public Service, as also the number among them who have passed examinations recognised by the Government ?

MR. C. S. LAKSHMANAN PILLAI :

Appointments in Schedule I—C of the Public Service Recruitment Rules.

Number of candidates registered	501
Number of candidates possessing qualifications recognised by Government ...	52

Appointments in Schedule I—B of the Rules now transferred to Lower Division.

Number of candidates registered ...	2
Number of candidates possessing qualifications recognised by Government ...	1

Private tuition by school teachers.

313 * **MR. K. G. GOVINDAN :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether teachers of Government schools or aided schools are prohibited from giving private tuition to pupils ; and

(*b*) if the answer to (*a*) is in the affirmative, the reason for the same ?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Extra work of the kind is bound to affect the legitimate duties of teachers in schools.

MR. K. G. GOVINDAN : May I know whether permission will be granted to a teacher for private tuition if he makes an application for it ?

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